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Honorable Rob Kauffman
Chairman, Pennsylvania House Judiciary Committee
89th Legislative District
P.O. Box 202089
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Dear Rep. Kauffman,

Thank you for your correspondence dated January 27, 2025, wherein you request that PJM remove Transource Pennsylvania, LLC's proposed transmission project (9A) from the Regional Transmission Expansion Plan ("RTEP"). PJM has also received other correspondence from various parties regarding 9A.

PJM appreciates that this proposed project has created a number of concerns for you and your constituents, and that this project has been pending for many years awaiting both regulatory and legal certainty.

PJM has endeavored to explain to stakeholders at the Transmission Expansion Advisory Committee and in proceedings before the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and the Maryland Public Service Commission that the results of PJM's holistic annual re-evaluations of 9A in 2023 and 2024 prompted it to reiterate its support for 9A in a suspended state removed from PJM's planning models.

I can also report that PJM has already developed the 2025 market efficiency planning model which is needed to re-evaluate 9A in 2025. PJM has presented the model to PJM stakeholders at the March 2025 TEAC meeting.¹ Having cleared this necessary step, PJM is now in the process of performing the 2025 annual re-evaluation of the Project using this updated model. PJM anticipates having the results of the annual 2025 re-evaluation finalized by May 1, 2025, and presented to stakeholders by the May 2025 TEAC.

PJM looks forward to sharing the results of its 2025 analysis soon, and likely substantially earlier than previously stated. This information will help inform 9A's future based on existing system conditions and needs. Our state government apparatus will be in touch with further developments. We thank you again for your outreach on behalf of your constituency, and we thank all other stakeholders who have shared correspondence with PJM regarding 9A.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jason Connell

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¹ <https://www.pjm.com/-/media/DotCom/committees-groups/committees/teac/2025/20250304/20250304-item-03---market-efficiency-update.pdf>